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FEE TRANSMITTAL

Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

10/705,416 Filing Date November 10, 2003 For FY 2004 First Named Inventor Matthew A. Kater **Examiner Name** Le, Mark T. Art Unit 3617 □ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 Attorney Docket Number 7431.0063 TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)55.00

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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)		FEE CALCULATION (Continued)						
		3. ADDITIONAL F						
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Deposit Account Number: 03-1550		Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid	
Deposit Account Name: Chemoff Vilhauer McClung & Stenzel		1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge – late filing fee or oath	Teeraid	
The Director is authorized to: (check all that apply)		1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge – late provisional filing fee or cover		
☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below ☒ Credit any overpayments		1053	130	1053	130	sheet Non-English specification		
☐ Charge any additional fee(s) or any underpayment of fee(s)			2.520	1812	2.520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination		
Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee		1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner		
to the above-identified deposit account.						action		
FEE CALCULATION		1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action		
1. BASIC FILING FEE		1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month		
Large Entity Small Entity		1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month		
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Code (\$) Code (\$) Fee Description	Fee Paid	1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month		
1001 770 2001 385 Utility filing fee		1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month		
1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee		1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal		
1003 530 2003 265 Plant filing fee		1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal		
1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing Fee		1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing		
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee		1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding		
SUBTOTAL (1)	(\$)	1452	110	2542	55	Petition to revive – unavoidable		
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE		1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive – unintentional		
Extra Fee from		1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)		
Claims Below	Fee Paid	1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee		
Total Claims -20** = X 18/9 =		1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee		
Independent Claims -3** = X 86/93 =		1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner		
Multiple Dependent 290/145 =		1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)		
		1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt		
Large Entity Small Entity Fee Fee Fee Fee		8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)		
Code (\$) Code (\$) Fee Descriptions		1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection		
1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20		1				(37 CFR 1.129(a))		
1201 86 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of		1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))		
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